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SUBJ: USCGC GLACIER EVACUATION AND FUEL BLADDERS FOR MARAMBIO

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1. ARGENTINE AIR FORCE (AAF) AS PROMISED, HAS SUCCESSFULLY FULFILLED MAJOR PART OF ITS OPERATIONS IN SUPPORT OF GLACIER EVACUATION. AS DEPT AND NSF AWARE, AAF AIRLIFTED FIRST 50 SCIENTISTS AND GLACIER CREW FROM MARAMBIO TO RIO GALLEGOS AND ON TO BUENOS AIRES. BAD WEATHER INTERRUPTED OPERATIONS ON 2ND DAY, AND BY 3RD DAY GLACIER HAD BROKEN FREE AND EVACUATION WAS CALLED OFF. AAF READILY AGREED TO FLY GLACIER PERSONNEL WHO WERE IN BUENOS AIRES BACK TO USHUAIA ON APPOINTED DAY TO REJOIN SHIP. THROUGHOUT, EMBASSY FOUND AAF TO BE EXTREMELY COOPERATIVE AND HELPFUL IN FULFILLING OUR REQUIREMENTS.

2. I HAVE SENT AIR FORCE CINC FAUTARIO A LETTER OF THANKS FOR THIS COOPERATION AND, IN THE SAME LETTER, HAVE OFFERED HIM THE FUEL BLADDERS AS SUGGESTED IN REFTEL. WE WILL ADVISE FURTHER WHEN WE HAVE A DEFINITIVE REPLY FROM THE AAF ON THIS OFFER.

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